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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director

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1. Attached hereto is a letter which I asked [redacted] to write me after he had had a chance to think through certain matters he discussed with me at our last interview. I think you will agree that he has attempted to write a constructive contribution, and I feel that it is worthy of our thoughtful consideration -- in our own interest.

2. Would you please put a small group of senior officers to work on the suggestions in this letter, and let me have, within a reasonable period of time, considered reactions to the proposals. Given the manner in which the letter is written, I will leave it to you whether to show it to this group in toto or whether to rewrite it in a somewhat less forthright form to obviate any initial irritation which might prejudice the basic ideas.

/s/ Richard Helms

Richard Helms
Deputy Director

Attachment

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